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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office action mailed April 2, 2003.

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I hereby certify that this Amendment is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class main in an envelope with sufficient postage addressed to: Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 223131450, on July 2, 2003.

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